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8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Boiled rice (2nd sort) ...	5·29	4·025	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi	11·13	8·77	
Rangoon rice (2nd sort) ...	Not available		

Agricultural operations.—Weeding of ragi and paddy is going on in the fields. Standing crops are fair. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Markets are fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Weeding operations are going on in all the taluks except Hoskote, Nelamangala and Devanhalli Taluks.

Seeds sown.—Kulthi in parts of Nelamangala, Kankanhalli, Channapatna, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks. Paddy in parts of Closepet Sub-Taluk.

Standing crops.—Ragi in parts of Hoskote, Dodballapur, Kankanhalli, Magadi, Channapatna, Anekal, Devanhalli and Closepet. Paddy and Sugar-cane in all the taluks except Bangalore Taluk. Jola in parts of Dodballapur Taluk. Pulses in all the taluks, except Bangalore, Devanhalli and Closepet Sub-Taluk. Til and groundnuts in parts of Dodballapur Taluk and mulberry in parts of Devanhalli and Closepet Sub-Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

Damages to crops.—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available, but the prices continue to be high. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of Bangalore, Hoskote, Magadi, Anekal, Devanhalli and Closepet Sub-Taluk and influenza in parts of Devanhalli and Kankanhalli Taluks.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Horse gram in parts of the Malur, Chikballapur and Bagepalli Taluks and in Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Gidragi in parts of the Bagepalli Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane, paddy, jola, gidragi, ragi, avare and togari are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season fair. Prices of food grains stationary. Labour sufficient for cooly classes.

11. Public health is generally good, except for influenza in parts of the Kolar and Malur Taluks, small-pox in parts of the Kolar Taluk and plague in a village of the Chikballapur Taluk.

12. Cattle are healthy. Pasture, fodder and water are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Horse gram in parts of Tumkur Taluk and Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk; sugar-cane in parts of Kunigal Taluk; hutchellu in parts of Turuvekere Sub-Taluk

Crops harvested.—Jola in parts of Tumkur Taluk and Koratagere Sub-Taluk, yield 8 annas; Nauti ragi in parts of Sira and Pavagada Taluks, yield 8 to 12 annas; sugar-cane in parts of Kunigal Taluk and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk yield 8 annas; til in parts of Koratagere Sub-Taluk, yield 4 annas.

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Standing crops.—Paddy, ragi, sugar-cane, groundnut, jola, til, avare, togari, hutchellu, castor, savé, haraka, navane, black and green grams, chillies and cotton are reported to be in good condition in Tumkur and Gubbi Taluks. In the other taluks and sub-taluks it is reported that rain is very badly wanted for withering crops.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Immediate prospects of the season fair. Rain is wanted in most parts of the district.

11. Public health is good in all parts of the district, except for cholera in Nagalmadike village, Pavagada Taluk, and small-pox in Pavagada Taluk. The Amildar reports that the Sub-Assistant Surgeon is doing the needful to prevent the spread of the disease.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy throughout the district, except for rinderpest in Pavagada Taluk. Water and fodder are available in all parts of the district, except in Pavagada Taluk and parts of Maddagiri, Sira and Tiptur Taluks where some difficulty is being felt for fodder.

MYSORE.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, ragi, avare, togari, horse gram, green gram, tadagani, mulberry, sugar-cane, cotton, castor, tobacco, coriander, samé, chilli, black gram and haraka and they are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Horse gram in parts of Heggaddevankote and Nagamangala Taluks; coriander and green gram in parts of Gundlupet Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Ragi in parts of Yedatore, Heggaddevankote and Gundlupet Taluks (yield 8 to 12 annas); Karu paddy in parts of Yedatore and T.-Narsipur Taluks (yield 12 annas); til in parts of Heggaddevankote and Gundlupet Taluks (yield 8 to 12 annas); jola in parts of Gundlupet and Nanjangud Taluks (yield 4 to 12 annas); samé in parts of Gundlupet Taluk (yield 4 to 8 annas).

10. Prospects of the season are good.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of Chamrajnagar, Seringapatam, Hunsur, Yedatore, Gundlupet, Nanjangud and Malvalli Taluks.

12. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except for Doddaroga in parts of Mysore, Hunsur and Krishnarajpete Taluks. Foot and mouth disease and Chapperoga in parts of Hunsur Taluk. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown and transplantation of crops.*—Doddaragi and paddy are still being transplanted in parts of Hassan and Manjarabad Taluks respectively.

Standing crops.—Paddy, ragi and sugar-cane in Hassan, Channarayapatna, Arkalgud and Hole-Narsipur Taluks; ragi and sugar-cane in the Arsikere Taluk; castor, kulthi, jola, avare and chillies in the Channarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Giddaragi in Hassan, Arkalgud, Belur and Alur Taluks; cardamom in the Manjarabad Taluk; sugar-cane in the Channarayapatna Taluk and til, coriander and jola in the Arsikere Taluk are being harvested. No damage to crops has been reported.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be good. More rain is needed in all the maidan areas.

11. Public health is generally good except for plague in the following areas:—Villages of Salagame Hobli in the Hassan Taluk, parts of Ramanathpur Hobli in Arkalgud Taluk, Hanikere and few other villages of Belur Kasba Hobli, Hirisave and other villages in the Channarayapatna Taluks, Channapatna and surrounding villages in the Alur Sub-Taluk.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy but for 'Chapperoga' in parts of Manjarabad Taluk. Water and fodder are available except for some difficulty for fodder in parts of Kanakatte Hobli in the Arsikere Taluk.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Weeding in the Channagiri Taluk and transplantation of paddy in the Nagar Taluk, are going on.

Seeds sown.—Horse gram in the Sorab Taluk is being sown.

State of standing crops.—Sugar-cane and paddy in all the taluks; ragi in the taluks of Shimoga, Channagiri, Shikarpur, Sorab and Nagar; jola in the taluks of Channagiri, Honnali and Shikarpur; avare, togari and cotton in the Honnali Taluk; and chillies in the Shikarpur Taluk, are reported to be in good condition.

"*Koleroga*" is reported to be prevailing in the hoblis of Kasaba and Ulvi of Sorab Taluk, Ananthapur and Avinahalli of Sagar Taluk; Nagar, Kallurkatte and Lakshmipur of Nagar Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Green gram and savè in the Honnali Taluk, areca in some parts of Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks.

10. The prospects of the season are fair. More rain is wanted in all the taluks, except Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli.

11. Except for plague at Siralkoppa and Udagani of Shikarpur Taluk, and Sorab Town, and for malarial fever in the Sorab Taluk, the public health is reported to be good.

12. Except for foot and mouth disease in the village of Kolagi of Nagar Taluk, the cattle are reported to be healthy. Fodder and water are available in all the taluks.

KADUR.

8. The markets were fairly supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Transplanting of paddy is nearing completion in parts of the Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk.

Crops sown.—Nil.

Standing crops.—Chikmagalur Taluk—Paddy, til, jolam and sugar-cane. Kadur Taluk—Paddy, ragi, arhar, avare, jolam, castor, chillies, sugar-cane and savé. Tarikere Taluk—Paddy, ragi, kulthi, green gram, black gram, til, sugar-cane, and jolam. Koppa Taluk—Paddy, areca, sugar-cane, cardamom and pepper. Mudgere Taluk—Paddy, ragi, coffee, sugar-cane and cardamom. Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk—Paddy and sugar-cane and areca. Sringeri Jahgir—Paddy and areca.

The standing crops are reported to be in good condition, except for Koleroga in parts of the Koppa Taluk and Sringeri Jahgir. It is reported that standing crops in parts of the Kadur Taluk have begin to fade for want of rain.

Crops harvested.—Chikmagalur Taluk—Ragi, potatoes and garlic, estimated 8 annas yield. Kadur Taluk—Jolam, til, green gram and black gram, estimated yield 8 annas. Tarikere Taluk—Green gram, black gram and til. Koppa Taluk—Cardamom. Sringeri Jahgir—Areca estimated yield 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available. Prices continue to be high. It is reported that rain is wanted in parts of the Kadur and Tarikere Taluks.

11. But for plague in parts of the Chikmagalur and Mudgere Taluks and Chikmagalur Town, public health is generally good. It is reported that rats are falling in the Narasimharajapura Town.

12. But for Doddaroga in parts of the Mudgere and Koppa Taluks and Sringeri Jahgir, cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available. It is repoted that cattle are taken from place to place for grazing in parts of the Kadur Taluk for want of fodder.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets were adequately supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Jola, paddy, ragi, horse gram, haraka, sajje, togari, castor, til, sugar cane, groundnut, navane, savé and green gram are reported to be withering throughout the district for want of rain. Ragi and jola in parts of Guntanur Hobli of Chitaldrug Taluk have withered for want of rain.

Seeds sown.—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Til, green gram and jola in the Holalkere Taluk (yield 8 to 10 annas); til in Devangere Taluk (yield 12 annas) and jola and til in the Hosdurga Taluk; (yield 8 and 4 annas respectively); navane and giddaragi in Molakalmuru Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season fair. Cooly classes are finding sufficient labour. Food stuffs are available, but prices continue high as usual. Want of rain is felt everywhere in the district.

11. Public health is generally good, but for plague in the towns of Davangere, Jagalur and Harihar and in some villages of Davangere Taluk and Harihar Sub-Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. It is reported that cattle are dying in parts of Guntanur Hobli of Chitaldrug Taluk for want of fodder. Date leaves are being used for fodder in parts of Chitaldrug, Hiriyur and Hosdurga Taluks. Water and fodder are available in all parts of Chitaldrug, Hiriyur and Hosdurga Taluks where fodder is getting scarce.

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